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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is Form PTO-1449 listing two-hundred and ten (210) references. Please note that the references on Page 9 of the Form PTO-1449 can be found in the file of the parent application, Application No. 09/470,618, filed December 22, 1999, and the references on pages 1-8 of the Form can be found in the file of Application No. 09/364,862, filed July 30, 1999. The present application claims the benefit of priority of both of these previous applications under § 120. Therefore, copies of these references are not being provided. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of this application, and no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(1).

Respectfully submitted,

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